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SUBJECT: DSP MISSION AVAILABILITY

1. REFERENCES:

A. HQ USAF/RDS MSG, 042225Z SEP 80, SAME SUBJECT

B. HQ ADC/XP MSG, 101730Z SEP 80, SAME SUBJECT

C. HQ SAC/SXR MSG, 111815Z SEP 80, SAME SUBJECT (CONTAINED IN SO RESPONSE)

D. MEETING AT HQ USAF AMONG OSD/CJI/OSDRBE, HQ USAF, SAC, AFSC, AND ADC PERSONNEL, 12 SEP 80, SAME SUBJECT.

2. AT THE REQUEST OF THE UNDER SECDEF FOR RESEARCH AND ENGINEERING, THE REF A MSG TRANSMITTED SEVERAL QUESTIONS TO SAC, AFSC PAGE 02 RUEAHQA2827

AND ADC REGARDING THE DEFENSE SUPPORT PROGRAM (DSP) MISSION AVAILABILITY. ANSWERS TO THESE QUESTIONS WERE CONTAINED IN REFS B AND C. THESE ANSWERS WERE DISCUSSED WITH MEMBERS OF THE OSD STAFF AT THE REF D MEETING. THE FOLLOWING INSIGHTS WERE PROVIDED BY THE OSD PERSONNEL INTO WHY THE DSP AND IN PARTICULAR THE OGS AVAILABILITY HAS BECOME AN AREA OF CONCERN IN THE PAST SEVERAL MONTHS.

A. IN REVIEWING THE OGS OUTAGES, IT HAS BECOME APPARENT TO OSD PERSONNEL THAT THESE OUTAGES GENERALLY CONSIST OF TWO CATEGORIES: INFREQUENT OUTAGES OF LONG DURATION (PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE) AND FREQUENT OUTAGES OF SHORTER DURATION (CORRECTIVE MAINTENANCE).

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